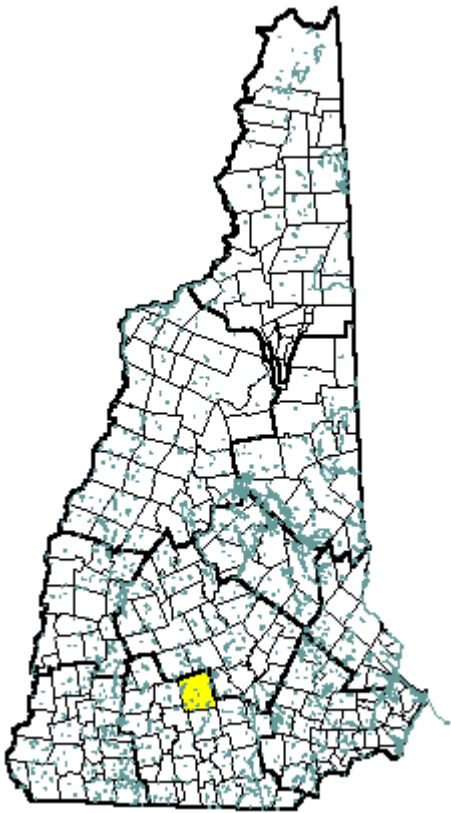


Weare, NH



Community Contact

Telephone
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Municipal Office Hours

County
Labor Market Area
Tourism Region
Planning Commission
Regional Development

Election Districts

US Congress
Executive Council
State Senate
State Representative

Town of Weare

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Weare, NH 03281

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Monday through Friday, 8 am - 4:30 pm; Town Clerk:
Monday, Tuesday, Friday, 8 am - 4:30 pm, Wednesday,
8 am - 7 pm, Thursday, 8 am - 1 pm; Tax Collector: Monday
through Friday, 8 am - 4:15 pm

Hillsborough
Manchester NH Metro-NECTA
Merrimack Valley
Southern NH
Capital Regional Development Council

District 2
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District 7
Hillsborough County District 7

Incorporated: 1764

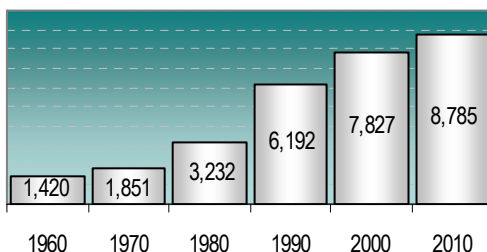
Origin: This territory was first granted by the Massachusetts government in 1735 by petition by Robert Hale for Captain William Raymond's men, who were soldiers in the Canadian wars. It was known as Beverly-Canada, for their home in Beverly, Massachusetts, or Halestown. In 1748, Ichabod Robie, Meshech Weare, and others from Hampton Falls petitioned for township near the Amoskeag, which was granted by the Masonian Proprietors. It was called both Robiestown and Wearestown. In 1764 it was incorporated as Weare, in honor of Colonel Meshech Weare, who served New Hampshire as its first "president" from 1776 until 1785.

Villages and Place Names: Chase Village, Clinton Grove, North Weare, Riverdale, Slab City, South Weare, Tavern Village, Everett Lake

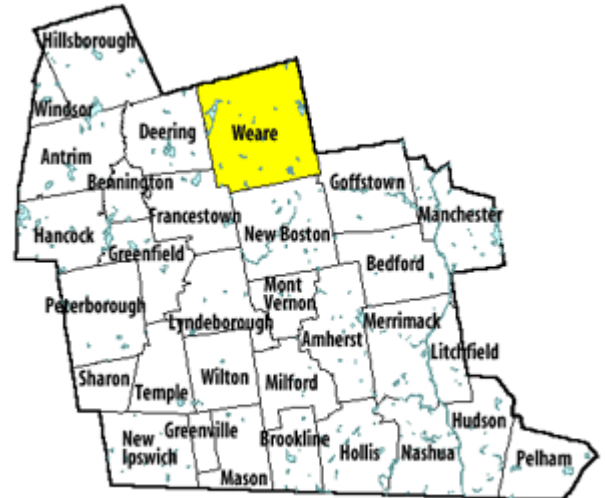
Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 1,924 residents in 1790

Population Trends: Population change for Weare totaled 7,365 over 50 years, from 1,420 in 1960 to 8,785 in 2010. The largest decennial percent change was an

increase of 92 percent between 1980 and 1990, following a 75 percent increase between 1970 and 1980. The 2010 Census estimate for Weare was 8,785 residents, which ranked 32nd among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.



Population Density and Land Area, 2010 (US Census Bureau): 149.3 persons per square mile of land area. Weare contains 58.8 square miles of land area and 1.0 square miles of inland water area.



Hillsborough County

MUNICIPAL SERVICES

Type of Government	Selectmen
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2009	\$4,727,374
Budget: School Appropriations, 2009-2010	\$27,442,480
Zoning Ordinance	1988/11
Master Plan	2005
Capital Improvement Plan	Yes
Industrial Plans Reviewed By	Planning Board

Boards and Commissions

Elected:	Selectmen; Library
Appointed:	Planning; Zoning; Conservation; Cable

Public Library **Weare Public****EMERGENCY SERVICES**

Police Department	Full-time
Fire Department	Municipal
Emergency Medical Service	Municipal

Nearest Hospital(s)	Distance	Staffed Beds
Concord Hospital, Concord	14 miles	220
Elliot Hospital, Manchester	20 miles	264
Catholic Medical Center, Manchester	17 miles	233

UTILITIES

Electric Supplier	PSNH
Natural Gas Supplier	None
Water Supplier	Private wells

Sanitation	Private septic
Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant	Yes
Solid Waste Disposal	
Curbside Trash Pickup	Private
Pay-As-You-Throw Program	No
Recycling Program	Mandatory

Telephone Company	Granite State
Cellular Telephone Access	Yes
Cable Television Access	Yes
Public Access Television Station	Yes
High Speed Internet Service: Business	Yes
Residential	Yes

PROPERTY TAXES (NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)

2010 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$17.33
2010 Equalization Ratio	119.9
2010 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$20.75

2010 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type

Residential Land and Buildings	91.3%
Commercial Land and Buildings	5.0%
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other	3.7%

HOUSING

(ACS 2006-2010)

Total Housing Units	3,356
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached	2,936
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:	
Two to Four Units in Structure	97
Five or More Units in Structure	124
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units	199

DEMOGRAPHICS

(US Census Bureau)

Total Population	Community	County
2010	8,785	400,721
2000	7,827	382,384
1990	6,192	336,549
1980	3,232	276,608
1970	1,851	223,941

Demographics, American Community Survey (ACS) 2006-2010

Population by Gender

Male	4,597	Female	4,063
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Population by Age Group

Under age 5	686
Age 5 to 19	1,922
Age 20 to 34	1,353
Age 35 to 54	3,394
Age 55 to 64	840
Age 65 and over	465
Median Age	37.7 years

Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over

High school graduate or higher	94.5%
Bachelor's degree or higher	26.3%

INCOME, 2010 INFLATION ADJUSTED \$

(ACS 2006-2010)

Per capita income	\$30,804
Median 4-person family income	\$83,622
Median household income	\$78,480

Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers

Male	\$53,098
Female	\$38,850

Families below the poverty level

1.1%**LABOR FORCE**

(NHES - ELMI)

Annual Average	2000	2010
Civilian labor force	4,424	5,314
Employed	4,318	5,003
Unemployed	106	311
Unemployment rate	2.4%	5.9%

EMPLOYMENT & WAGES

(NHES - ELMI)

Annual Average Covered Employment	2000	2010
Goods Producing Industries		
Average Employment	205	298
Average Weekly Wage	\$761	\$964
Service Providing Industries		
Average Employment	701	803
Average Weekly Wage	\$572	\$659
Total Private Industry		
Average Employment	906	1,100
Average Weekly Wage	\$614	\$742
Government (Federal, State, and Local)		
Average Employment	325	454
Average Weekly Wage	\$486	\$680
Total, Private Industry plus Government		
Average Employment	1,231	1,554
Average Weekly Wage	\$581	\$724

n = indicates that data does not meet disclosure standards

EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE*(NH Dept. of Education)*Schools students attend: **Weare operates grades K-8; grades 9-12 are part of John Stark Regional (Henniker, Weare)**District: **SAU 24**Career Technology Center(s): **Concord High School; Pembroke Academy**Region: **11**

Educational Facilities	Elementary	Middle/Junior High	High School	Private/Parochial
Number of Schools	1	1	1	
Grade Levels	P K 1-4	5-8	9-12	
Total Enrollment	574	514	792	

2011 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS – Bureau of Child Care Licensing):

Total Facilities: **6**Total Capacity: **216**Nearest Community/Technical College: **NHTI-Concord**Nearest Colleges or Universities: **New England; Hesser; Southern NH University; UNH-Manchester**

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
Weare School District	Education	159	1800
John Stark Regional School District	Education	133	1987
Town of Weare	Municipal services	66	1764
Granite State Telephone	Communication services	52	1937
Goffstown Truck Center	Truck repair, parts	47	1968
Country 3 Corners	Hardware store	12	

TRANSPORTATION *(distances estimated from city/town hall)*

Road Access	US Routes	
	State Routes	77, 114, 149
Nearest Interstate, Exit		I-89, Exit 2
	Distance	12 miles
Railroad		No
Public Transportation		No
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation		
Concord Municipal	Runway	6,005 ft. asphalt
Lighted? Yes	Navigation Aids?	Yes
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service		
Manchester-Boston Regional	Distance	22 miles
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport		6
Driving distance to select cities:		
Manchester, NH		18 miles
Portland, Maine		117 miles
Boston, Mass.		71 miles
New York City, NY		245 miles
Montreal, Quebec		249 miles

COMMUTING TO WORK *(ACS 2006-2010)*

Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	83.0%
Carpooled, car/truck/van	7.7%
Public transportation	0.0%
Walked	2.8%
Other means	0.5%
Worked at home	5.9%
Mean Travel Time to Work	35.5 minutes

Percent of Working Residents: ACS 2006-2010

Working in community of residence	16.9%
Commuting to another NH community	78.1%
Commuting out-of-state	5.0%

RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS

X	Municipal Parks
	YMCA/YWCA
	Boys Club/Girls Club
	Golf Courses
	Swimming: Indoor Facility
	Swimming: Outdoor Facility
	Tennis Courts: Indoor Facility
X	Tennis Courts: Outdoor Facility
	Ice Skating Rink: Indoor Facility
	Bowling Facilities
X	Museums
	Cinemas
	Performing Arts Facilities
	Tourist Attractions
X	Youth Organizations (i.e., Scouts, 4-H)
X	Youth Sports: Baseball
X	Youth Sports: Soccer
X	Youth Sports: Football
X	Youth Sports: Basketball
	Youth Sports: Hockey
X	Campgrounds
X	Fishing/Hunting
X	Boating/Marinas
X	Snowmobile Trails
X	Bicycle Trails
X	Cross Country Skiing
X	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
	Overnight or Day Camps

Nearest Ski Area(s): **Pat's Peak**Other: **Clough State Park**